

# A VIEW FROM FEW

An organization for opportunity and equality for women in Government



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

***Submitted by Marlene Satterthwaite***

My Last HOORAH!! -- I just can't believe it – this is my last President's letter! Where did those 2 years go? As a reminder, I will be turning over the President's gavel to Jean Grenville at the June 22 Installation and Awards Banquet to be held at the Palms International Resort (formerly Holiday Inn of Cocoa Beach). Please show your support and enjoy a lovely evening and a great meal with the Space Coast Chapter. RSVP to Karin Biega ([karin@bocabanana.com](mailto:karin@bocabanana.com)) or Clara Anderson ([cmmanderson8@cfl.rr.com](mailto:cmmanderson8@cfl.rr.com))

I remember when I was first approached about running for President. I had my arm twisted by Ms. Jean Grenville to take on this challenge. Begrudgingly, I took the challenge...and never looked back. Thank you, Jean, for your encouragement and convincing me that I could do it.....it's truly been a worthwhile adventure and a self-rewarding feeling of accomplishment.

With my 2-year term as President coming to end, I must first thank my Chapter Board for all their support and hard work, the Committee Chairs, those wonderful contributing members and especially, many from the Past Presidents' Task Force for their advice and undying support and education. Additionally and speaking of support, it is truly a wonderful thing that many of the current board members are continuing on to keep the Chapter Board moving along in a positive direction. You women ROCK!

So many events cross my mind...the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Training Program (ATP) of 2009 chaired by Barbara Powell was met with financial challenges that were overcome producing an awesome ATP; the successful community outreach projects; the generous scholarship awards and the great networking retreats. I absolutely enjoyed the array of Program Speakers from the Social Security Administration (Lyn Baker), Funeral Pre-Planning (Karen Savage), Women League of Voters (Doreen Archer & Connie Hogerty), Diversity (Mr. Rob Grant and Dr. Kizzy Parks) and many others who took the time to come and educate us. I hope you enjoyed them as much as I did. And I look forward to more interesting Programs and opportunities to further educate myself.

As many of you know, I may (possibly within the next year) become a "snow bird" as we have purchased a home in Dover DE (near a set of grandkids). But you won't be getting rid of me that easy....I'll still be around for whatever FEW event I can join in. I don't want to miss anything!

By the time this Newsletter is released, I will have held my last Chapter Business Meeting/May 25. With so much left on the agenda to discuss: the Installation/Awards Banquet final arrangements; NEW Orleans NTP attendees and arrangements, and the retreat planned for August 4-7 – I hope to see many of you at the meeting, or the Banquet, the NTP or the retreat. Jump in and get involved...it's more fun than sitting on the sidelines!

In closing, what can I say at this point but, THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU.....It's been a memorable ride. God Bless you all, my sisters (and Lenny, too!). I wish you ALL good luck, good health, good friendship and nothing but success!

Marlene Satterthwaite  
(Soon-to-be Past President)

## FEW's Mission Statement

Federally Employed Women (FEW) is a membership organization working for the elimination of sexual harassment and the advancement of women in government. This will be accomplished by:

- Encouraging diversity and equity in the workplace
- Enhancing career opportunities for women
- Establishing and maintaining relationships with organizations to advocate the fair application of EEO and personnel laws, policies, procedures, and practices
- Improving the quality of life for women by influencing Congressional and Administration actions
- Committing to achieve and maintain a unified and diverse membership; and
- Providing opportunities for professional growth through leadership development, education, mentoring, and networking.

The FEW mission and purpose statement was revised to recognize that the mission of an organization is its driving force, and that FEW's mission needed to be consistent with the needs of federal women today on into the 21st century.



## COMPLIANCE

**Connie Dobrin, Compliance Chair**

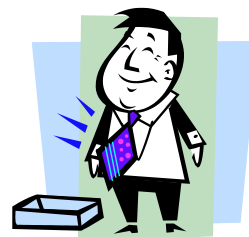
Federally Employed Women's (FEW) Compliance Program monitors the progress made by the federal government in achieving equal employment opportunity evidenced by its adherence with statutory civil rights protections including: the Equal Pay Act of 1963, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Section 501 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Age Discrimination in Employment Act, and Civil Rights Act of 1991.

FEW on the National level maintains close working relationships with several federal departments and agencies including the Office of Personnel Management, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Merit Systems Protection Board and Department of Labor. FEW's grassroots compliance efforts play a vital role in implementing the Compliance Program across the FEW network, which includes the Continental United States, Alaska, Hawaii, and several foreign countries.

Regional and Chapter representatives meet with agency administrators in order to:

- ✓ Monitor and affect the development and enforcement of Management Directive 715;
- ✓ Review distribution of training funds;
- ✓ Assess the disproportionate effects of downsizing on women, people of color, and other minorities; and,
- ✓ Review access to a wide variety of programs that seek to help employees juggle work and family responsibilities.

FEW's Compliance Program is the responsibility of the Vice President for Compliance, Michelle Crockett.



## DIVERSITY

**Charlotte Becker, Diversity Chair**

## History of Father's Day Celebration

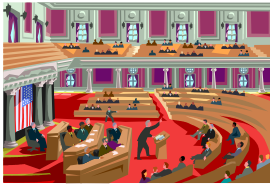
I found it interesting to read how the Father's Day celebration came into practice and is celebrated worldwide with equal sincerity and respect as other significant holidays. Here's a short history on the holiday and the meaning of the different colors of roses to be worn that Day. About 4,000 years ago a young boy named Elmusu wished his Babylonian father good health and a long life by carving a "Father's Day" message on a card made out of clay. No one knows what happened to Elmesu or his father, but the tradition of having a special day honoring fathers has continued through the years in countries across the world.

In countries where the Catholic Church is of significant influence on the culture of the society, Father's Day is celebrated on St. Joseph's Day (March 19). However a more secular celebration, which is not associated with any religion, is followed in recent times to highlight the increased diversity among people from all over the globe coexisting together in one place.

Father's Day is celebrated popularly on the 3rd Sunday in June in many parts of the world. The idea for creating a day for children to honor their

fathers began in Spokane, Washington. A woman by the name of Sonora Smart Dodd thought of the idea for Father's Day while listening to a Mother's Day sermon in 1909. Having been raised by her father, Henry Jackson Smart, after her mother died, Sonora wanted her father to know how special he was to her. It was her father who made all the parental sacrifices and was, in the eyes of his daughter, a courageous, selfless, and loving man. Sonora's father was born in June, so she chose to hold the first Father's Day celebration in Spokane, Washington on the 19th of June 1910.

In 1924 President Calvin Coolidge proclaimed the third Sunday in June as Father's Day. President Nixon, in 1972, established a permanent national observance of Father's Day to be held on the third Sunday of June. So Father's Day was born as a token of love and gratitude a daughter cherishes for her beloved father. Roses are the Father's Day flowers: red to be worn for a living father and white if the father has died.



## **LEGISLATIVE**

***Submitted by Marlene Satterthwaite***

## **CAPWIZ – VISIT NOW!**

I must admit I hadn't visited Capwiz lately, so I do encourage you to check out the site and see what is happening in our Legislative World. There is so much information available at your fingertips. FEW is asking us to send letters off to our Congressmen – they are already written – couldn't be easier. Their goal is 2000 letters to the 111<sup>th</sup> Congress! I just did it and got an immediate "thank you" email from the Federally Employed Women Mail System.

<http://capwiz.com/few/home/>

## **Legislative Successes To Date**

ENACTMENT AND SIGNING INTO LAW of Unused Sick Leave Credit (HR 958) and FERS Redeposit Bill (HR 828)

ENACTMENT of Paid Parental Leave bill by the House of Representatives!

Enactment of Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act/Signed by President

House Passage of Paycheck Fairness Act

**Action Alerts - Send Your Letters Today on these Issues**

**Let's Strive for 2,000 Letters Sent During the 111th Congress**

**As of March 12, 2010 - 819 letters sent**



## **SUNSHINE CHAIR – JUNE REPORT**

***Barbara Powell, Chair***

As a Chapter we were very fortunate during the month of May. There were no incidents that required the attention of the Sunshine Committee. However, the Committee has been made aware that Carolyn Burnham will be joining the ranks of the retirees sometime in June. The Space Coast Chapter will have another auxiliary member.

Special congratulations go to one of our members on her engagement. Dyan Middleton became engaged to Carlos Rodriguez over the Easter weekend in Charleston, South Carolina. They will be planning their wedding



in Cocoa Beach on September 18, 2010. Congratulations, Dyan and Carlos!

It has been brought to my attention that Rutha Williams celebrated her birthday on May 30, and I apologize for overlooking her in the May Newsletter. Happy Birthday, belatedly. Rutha!



## OUR HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES THIS MONTH GO TO:

Angela Solorio  
Sandra Getter  
Ana Contreras

**June 1**  
**June 7**  
**June 24**



My membership list of birthdays is still not current, and I hate to miss someone's special day. Please contact me at 504-6086, or email me at [noahsark@cfl.rr.com](mailto:noahsark@cfl.rr.com) if you have not been recognized on your birthday, or you know of a member that is in need of thoughts and prayers, i. e. extended illnesses, hospitals stays, or news that deserve our best wishes.



## SCHOLARSHIPS

**Joette Feeney, Scholarship Chair**

Following a FEW Business meeting on May 25, 2010, it was decided to extend the Space Coast Membership Scholarship deadline to give applicants in good standing sufficient time to apply. The new deadline is **June 8, 2010**.

The Space Coast Chapter is offering an educational scholarship to FEW members in good standing (please review CRITERIA **below**). The amount budgeted for the scholarship is \$1,000, which can be used for tuition, books, transportation or general education expenses. This scholarship is funded by the Space Coast chapter as a way to help FEW members attain their goal of receiving a degree or for enrichment. The amount of the scholarship will be awarded at the discretion of the scholarship committee according to the number of applicants. The application is available on [www.ksc.nasa.gov/groups/few/scholarships.htm](http://www.ksc.nasa.gov/groups/few/scholarships.htm) or by emailing Joette Feeney at [Joette.M.Feeney@nasa.gov](mailto:Joette.M.Feeney@nasa.gov) for a blank application.

## CRITERIA:

- ☐ Be a member of Space Coast Chapter for at least two years.
- ☐ Be an active member participating in meetings and programs.
- ☐ During the past two years, served as an officer, committee chair, or a member who has actively participated in the chapter.
- ☐ Be involved in self-improvement (through education, workshops, seminars, training, etc.) and community activities.
- ☐ Support the goals of FEW.
- ☐ Must be registered at an accredited college or community college/institution.

Please return your application to Joette M. Feeney by email or fax (321 867-9250). Please call me at 867-7484 before faxing your application. The new deadline is **June 8, 2010 to Joette Feeney**.

**Thank you!!**



## WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS!

**Becky Fasulo, VP for Membership**

Space Coast Chapter welcomes our newest members: Celeste Thompson and Sena Jones. Celeste lives in Pompano Beach and works for the US Immigration & Customs in Fort Lauderdale. Sena works at KSC. Please make our new members feel welcomed into our chapter.

Always invite your friends and co-workers to join us for our meetings and programs. Spread the FEW word!

## Top 10 Benefits Of Membership with Federally Employed Women (FEW)

### 1. Opportunity to Network

2. **Opportunity to Learn New Skills**
3. **Opportunity to Learn about the Legislative Process**
4. **Opportunity to Be Informed on Current Legislative Issues Affecting YOU in the Workplace**
5. **Opportunity to Participate in Career-Enhancing Training and receive registration discount**
6. **Opportunity to Learn More About the Rules, Regulations, & Policies Affecting YOU as a Federal Employee**
7. **Opportunity to Work for Ending Discrimination in the Workplace**



## **2010 Installation & Awards Banquet** ***Jean Grenville, Past Presidents Task Force***

**Celebrating 40 Years** – Come join us to celebrate our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as Space Coast Chapter, FEW. We have a special celebration planned. This will be a great opportunity to reunite with some old friends. Hope to see you there!

### **June 2010 INSTALLATION AND AWARDS BANQUET**

**WHEN?** Tuesday, June 22, 2010

**WHERE?** International Palms in Cocoa Beach (Old Ocean Front Holiday Inn)

**TIME?** Gather at 5:30 p.m., Dinner 6:30 p.m. followed by program

Please RSVP as soon as possible to  
[Karin@bocabana.com](mailto:Karin@bocabana.com) or Clara Anderson at  
[CMAnderson8@cfl.rr.com](mailto:CMAnderson8@cfl.rr.com)



## **WHERE ARE THEY NOW?**

***Jean Grenville, Past Presidents Task Force***

## **Space Coast Presidents 1970 - 2010**

**1970 – 1971** – Kay Morrison Whittemore - Deceased  
**1971 – 1972** – Annie Taylor – No longer in area – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1972 – 1973** – Mae Walterhouse Morris – Lives in South Carolina – Retired from Civil Service  
**1973 – 1974** – Millie L. King - Deceased  
**1974 – 1975** – Patricia Lowry – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1975 – 1976** – Betty Hudick – Lives in Titusville – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1976 – 1977** – Zoa Dodd – Lives in Cocoa Beach – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1977 – 1978** – Joan Fosdick – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC and InDyne  
**1978 – 1979** – Jean String - deceased  
**1979 – 1980** – Sandra Gates – no longer in area – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1980 – 1981** – Edna Hooper Shannon – Lives in Merritt Island – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1981 – 1982** – Lou Price - Lives in Rockledge – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1982 – 1983** – Clara Anderson – Current Member – Retired from NASA/KSC and REDE/Critique  
**1984 – 1985** – Margaret Rosenberry – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1985 – 1986** – Sharon White – Lives in Titusville – Works for NASA/KSC  
**1986 – 1987** – Suelllyn Phillips – No information  
**1987 – 1988** – Karin Biega – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1988 – 1988** – Barbara Bower – No information  
**1988 – 1990** – Pam Steel – Lives in Merritt Island – Works for NASA/KSC  
**1990 – 1991** – Carole Schiller - Deceased  
**1991 – 1992** – Tina Pechon – Lives in California and works for the Air Force  
**1992 – 1993** – Barbara Gurr - Lives in Cocoa Beach – Retired from EG&G

**1993 – 1994** – Jean Grenville – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1994 – 1995** – Margaret Crockett – Lives in Merritt Island – Retired from USA  
**1995 – 1997** – Becky Fasulo – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**1997 – 1998** – Sandy McCandless (Eliason) – Works for NASA/KSC  
**1998 – 2000** – Vickie Hall – Current member – Works for NASA/KSC  
**2000 – 2001** – Aneta Ott – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**2001 – 2002** – Connie Dobrin – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**2002 – 2004** – Barbara Powell – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC  
**2004 – 2005** – Dawn Partlow – Lives in Merritt Island – Works at the Space Center  
**2005 – 2008** – Sandy Eliason – Current member – Works for NASA/KSC  
**2008 – 2010** – Marlene Satterthwaite – Current member – Retired from NASA/KSC

#### **Charter Members:**

1. Pam Babcock Black – Lives in Merritt Island – Retired from NASA/KSC
2. Martha Barnes – Lives in Merritt Island – Retired from NASA/KSC
3. Mary Lou Barger – Lives in Jacksonville – Retired from NASA/KSC
4. June Bosboris – No information
5. Alberta Duggins – No information
6. Mary H. King – Lives in Cape Canaveral – Retired from NASA/KSC
7. Aileen Lewis – No information
8. Yvonne McQueen – No information
9. Pat Moore – Deceased
10. Kay Morrison Whittemore – Deceased
11. Ethel Archer Murray – Lives in Mississippi
12. D. Faye Nick – Lives in Palm Bay - Retired from NASA/KSC
13. Phyliss Parks Walker – Lives in Merritt Island – Retired from NASA/KSC
14. Linda Rogers – Lives in Lake Wales, FL – Retired from NASA/KSC
15. Annie Taylor – No information – Retired from NASA/KSC
16. Mae Walterhouse – Lives in South Carolina – Retired from NASA/KSC
- 17.** Phyliss Williams – Lives in Titusville – Retired from NASA/KSC

**If you have any additional information on the past presidents and charter members please notify Jean Grenville at [jeangrenville@aol.com](mailto:jeangrenville@aol.com) or 321 453-0226.**



### **Flag Day (United States)**

***From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia  
Sent by Charlotte Becker***

Flag Day is celebrated in the United States on June 14; it commemorates the adoption of the United States flag which happened by resolution that day in 1916. Later a proclamation by President Woodrow Wilson officially established June 14 as Flag Day; in August 1949, National Flag Day was established by an act of Congress. Flag Day is not an official holiday, though on June 14, 1937, Pennsylvania became the first (and only) to celebrate Flag Day as a state holiday.

One of the longest-running Flag Day parades is held annually in Quincy, Massachusetts, which began in 1952 and recently celebrated its 57th year in 2009. The 59th Annual Appleton Wisconsin 2009 Flag Day Parade will feature the U.S. Navy. City of Appleton Wisconsin. The largest Flag Day parade is held annually in Troy, New York, which bases its parade on the Quincy parade and typically draws 50,000 spectators.

Perhaps the oldest, continuing Flag Day parade is at Fairfield, Washington. Beginning in 1909 or 1910, Fairfield has held a parade every year since, with the possible exception of 1918, and will celebrate the "Centennial" parade in 2010, along with some other commemorative events.



### **BAXLEY MANOR**

***Submitted by Sandra Getter***

Thank you for the many contributions for our Mary delivery to Baxley Manor. The **18<sup>th</sup> of June** has been designated as delivery day to Baxley Manor for May. The people we serve there are mostly elderly or disabled. As we all



know we are in some hard times and these people survive on food stamps for the most part. Food stamps do not cover anything of a personal nature and we try to fill that gap. We hope you can help by any small donation you can make. The monetary contributions you make are used to buy food and personal items for these residents. My mail code is **NE-E8**. Thanks so much for making a difference!!

I am coordinating the contribution for Baxley Manor here on Center with the help of some other very kind ladies. **Sandy Eliason in LCC 4P23, Jan Hall in the Logistics Building 2610A, Ana Contreras HQ 3531F, and Angela Solorio in OSB I 6403X** can take your contributions and items. I am in **EDL 2134** and can coordinate a pick up from you if you call or email me. For those of you off Center, please call Aneta Ott or myself to arrange for pickup of any items you have to donate.

Here is the list of suggested items:

#### Food Items

Small cans of vegetables & fruits  
Jell-O & pudding snacks  
Graham crackers, Saltine crackers  
Any meat or meal in a can with the flip top lid or non refrigerated package  
Lunch meats, tuna, Spam, chicken, Vienna sausage, ham, deviled ham, Sardines, beef stew

#### Personal Items

Paper products: Q-tips, facial tissue & toilet tissue (packages of 4 rolls)  
Toothbrush, toothpaste, mouthwash  
Hand lotion, hair spray, mousse or gel, comb/brush  
Razor, Nail files, clippers, Socks, stockings, earrings  
Reading material such as books or magazines

Thanks again for your support of this worthy cause.



**Parliamentary Brain Teaser**  
**Clara Anderson, Parliamentarian**

**Question:** Your organization follows *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised (10th Edition)*. You have proposed a motion that "The President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer shall each receive a \$100 gift certificate to Smith's Department Store." The motion has been amended so that it now reads: "The Treasurer shall receive a \$1 gift certificate to Smith's Department Store." Can you speak against the pending motion, since it is quite different than you originally intended?

**Answer:** No. "In debate, the maker of a motion, while he can vote against it, is not allowed to speak against his own motion. . . . If he changes his mind while the motion he made is pending, he can, in effect, advise the assembly of this by asking permission to withdraw the motion (pp. 283-86)." *RONR (10th Ed.)* § 43 (p.381)

**Question:** An organization is required to hold regular meetings each month. At the February meeting date, there are not enough members present for the meeting to be held. Has the organization violated its bylaws by not meeting in February, according to *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised (10th Edition)*?

**Answer:** "But if a quorum fails to appear at a regular or properly called meeting, the inability to transact business does not detract from the fact that the society's rules requiring the meeting to be held were complied with and the meeting was convened--even though it had to adjourn immediately." *RONR (10th Ed.)* § 40 (p. 336).



### **Aspirin Questions & Answers**

**From the FDA US Food & Drug Administration**

**Submitted by Marlene Satterthwaite**

#### **Q. What are the different uses for aspirin?**

\* **Strokes:** Aspirin use recommended in both men and women to treat mini-strokes (transient ischemic attack --TIA) or ischemic stroke to prevent subsequent cardiovascular events or death.

\* **Heart Attacks:**

- reduces the risk of death in patients with suspected acute heart attacks (myocardial infarctions)
- prevents recurrent heart attacks and
- reduces the risk of heart attacks or sudden death in patients with unstable and chronic stable angina pectoris (chest pain).

\* **Other coronary conditions:** Aspirin can be used to treat patients who have had certain revascularization procedures such as angioplasty, and coronary bypass operations - if they have a vascular condition for which aspirin is already indicated.

\* **Rheumatologic diseases:** Aspirin is indicated for relief of the signs and symptoms of rheumatoid arthritis, juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis, spondylarthropathies, and arthritis and pleurisy associated with systemic lupus erythematosus.

\* **Pain relief:** Aspirin is indicated for the temporary relief of minor aches and pains.

### **Q. Can consumers safely use aspirin to treat suspected acute heart attacks?**

A. If consumers suspect they are having a heart attack, their most important action must be to seek emergency medical care immediately. The advise and supervision of a doctor should direct this use of aspirin and patients are encouraged to speak with their doctor about this use.

### **Q. What do we know about how aspirin works for heart conditions and stroke?**

A. The mechanism by which aspirin works in the treatment of heart attack and stroke is not completely understood. However, as an antiplatelet drug, we do know that aspirin help reduce platelet clumping which helps cause blockage in blood vessels.

### **Q. Who should NOT take aspirin?**

A. Generally, people who have:

- allergy to aspirin or other salicylates
- asthma
- uncontrolled high blood pressure
- severe liver or kidney disease
- bleeding disorders

Always check first with your doctor to determine whether the benefit of these professional uses of aspirin is greater than the risks to you.



### **WHAT TO TAKE TO BED WITH YOU**

*Submitted by Jean Grenville*

This is an e-mail I received recently. Thought it might be of interest to you ~

#### **Put your car keys beside your bed at night.**

Tell your spouse, your children, your neighbors, your parents, your Dr's office, and the checkout girl at the market, everyone you run across..

Put your car keys beside your bed at night. If you hear a noise outside your home or someone trying to get in your house, just press the panic button for your car. The alarm will be set off, and the horn will continue to sound until either you turn it off or the car battery dies. This tip came from a neighborhood watch coordinator. Next time you come home for the night and you start to put your keys away, think of this: It's a security alarm system that you probably already have and requires no installation. Test it. It will go off from most everywhere inside your house and will keep honking until your battery runs down or until you reset it with the button on the key fob chain. It works if you park in your driveway or garage. If your car alarm goes off when someone is trying to break into your house, odds are the burglar/rapist won't stick around. After a few seconds, all the neighbors will be looking out their windows to see who is out there and sure enough the criminal won't want that. And remember to carry your keys while walking to your car in a parking lot. The alarm can work the same way there. This is something that should really be shared with everyone. Maybe it could save a life or a sexual abuse crime.

This would also be useful for any emergency, such as a heart attack, where you can't reach a phone. An older person could carry his car keys with him in case he falls outside and no one can hear him. He can activate the car alarm and then a family member will know there is a problem.





## **NEW BOOK ABOUT BREAST CANCER**

***Submitted by Jean Grenville***

I saw this article in a recent issue of Newsmax Magazine and thought I would share it with you. Space Coast Chapter members heard Nancy Brinker speak at the National Training Program in Dallas, Texas many years ago and we are all amazed at what she has accomplished since that time:

"Promise Me: How a Sister's Love Launched the Global Movement to End Breast Cancer From Newsmax Magazine – Nancy Brinker and Joni Rodgers

When Nancy Brinker's sister Suzie died of breast cancer in 1980, Nancy promised to dedicate her life to fighting for a cure. Each year, millions participate in Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure events, and the five-year survival rate has jumped to 98 percent. This inspiring tale shows how one person can make a difference. Release date: September 14."



## **NEWSLETTER**

***Submitted by Jean Grenville, Karin Biega & Angela Solorio***

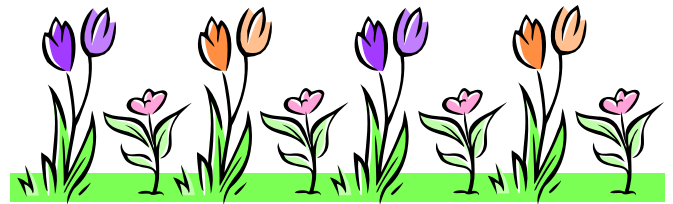
Message from Jean: This is the last issue of a View from FEW that I'll be working on as part of the Newsletter Staff. I look forward to serving as your president for the 2010 – 2012 term. I have enjoyed helping to bring the newsletter to you and appreciate your submittal of articles. Please do everything possible to assist Angela Solorio and Karin Biega with the newsletter.

This monthly publication is a means of sharing information and ideas with members, friends and prospective members. We ask that each officer and committee chair submit articles as applicable for their office and committee and other articles

of interest we can use in the newsletter. Articles should be sent to:

Angela Solorio: [angela.m.solorio-1@nasa.gov](mailto:angela.m.solorio-1@nasa.gov) and [Karin@bocabana.com](mailto:Karin@bocabana.com).

Please submit by the last Monday of each month. Feel free to share this newsletter with others. If you are interested in joining this vital organization, go to [www.few.org](http://www.few.org) and join on-line or fill out the attached membership application and mail to Federally Employed Women, P. O. Box 75551, Baltimore, MD 21275.



## **Calendar of Events**

### **June 2010**

**22** Awards and Installation Banquet  
International Palms (previously  
Holiday Inn Cocoa Beach)  
Gather 5:30 p.m., Dinner 6:30 p.m.

### **JULY 2010**

11-17 NTP 2010 – New Orleans, LA

### **AUGUST 2010**

**4 – 8** Space Coast Chapter Retreat

### **OCTOBER 2010**

**30** Provide food for a Woman's  
Habitat for Humanity Build

**SPACE COAST CHAPTER, FEW  
2008 - 2010  
Officers and Committees**

**Chapter**

|                           |                            |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| President                 | Marlene Satterthwaite      |
| VP for Programs           | Teresa Jean Piastuch       |
| VP for Membership         | Becky Fasulo               |
| Treasurer                 | Johanna Velasquez          |
| Secretary                 | Cassandra Getter           |
| Nominations Officer       | Aneta Ott                  |
|                           | Vickie Hall                |
|                           | Teresa Parham              |
| Immediate. Past President | Sandra Eliason             |
| Compliance                | Connie Dobrin              |
| Diversity                 | Charlotte Becker           |
| Legislative               | Connie Dobrin              |
| Annual Training Program   | Past Presidents Task Force |
| Finance                   | Karin Biega                |
| Scholarships              | Joette Feeney              |
| Newsletter Editor         | Jean Grenville             |
|                           | Karin Biega                |
|                           | Angela Solorio             |
| Parliamentarian           | Clara Anderson             |
| Environmental             | Martha Carroll             |
| Community Outreach        | Vickie Hall                |
|                           | Angela Solorio             |
| Sunshine                  | Barbara Powell             |
| Historian                 | Jean Grenville             |
| Webmaster                 | Debbie Ward                |

**Regional**

|                       |                       |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Asst Regional Manager | Barbara Powell        |
| Compliance            | Vickie Hall           |
| Nominations           | Connie Dobrin         |
| Awards                | Marlene Satterthwaite |
| Secretary             | Jean Grenville        |

**National**

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|---------------------------|--------------|
| VP for Mbrship & Chapters | Becky Fasulo |
| Bylaws & Resolutions      | Karin Biega  |



# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND RENEWAL

(Mail to)

FEDERALLY EMPLOYED WOMEN

P.O. BOX 75551

BALTIMORE, MD 21275

Membership ID \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print Legibly

Join (New Member or Rejoining FEW) ☐ Renewal ☐

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Company or Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email (Primary): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email (Secondary): \_\_\_\_\_

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|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| <b>Grade (check):</b>             | <b>FWP/EEO (check):</b>                 | <b>Gender:</b>                           | <b>Employer Type:</b>                        |
| GS 1-4 <input type="checkbox"/>   | FWP Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/>  | Male <input type="checkbox"/>            | Federal Government: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| GS 5-8 <input type="checkbox"/>   | FWP Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/>  | Female <input type="checkbox"/>          | Local Government: <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| GS 9-12 <input type="checkbox"/>  | EEO <input type="checkbox"/>            |  | State Government: <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| GS 13-15 <input type="checkbox"/> | Other FWP/EEO <input type="checkbox"/>  | <b>Race / Nationality:</b>               | Private Industry: <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| GS 16+ <input type="checkbox"/>   | Not Applicable <input type="checkbox"/> | American Indian <input type="checkbox"/> | Retired: <input type="checkbox"/>            |
|                                   |   | Asian/Pacific <input type="checkbox"/>   | Unemployed: <input type="checkbox"/>         |
| Job Series: _____                 |   | Black <input type="checkbox"/>           | Other (Explain): _____                       |
|                                   |   | Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/>        |  |
| Service Computation Date: _____   |   | Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/>       | <b>Federal Department:</b> _____             |
|                                   |   | Other <input type="checkbox"/>           |  |

PAYMENT: NATIONAL (\$45) ☐ CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to join the \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter. (Chapter Selection is Required)

Referred/Recruited By (one name only): \_\_\_\_\_

**I heard of FEW from: (select one)**

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| FEW Chapter Meetings / Programs <input type="checkbox"/> | Blacks In Government (BIG) <input type="checkbox"/> | Internet Search <input type="checkbox"/>  |
| FEW Member Referral <input type="checkbox"/>             | FAPAC Conference <input type="checkbox"/>           | Friend/Co-Worker <input type="checkbox"/> |
| FEW National Training Program <input type="checkbox"/>   | IMAGE Conference <input type="checkbox"/>           | Other <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| FEW Regional Training Program <input type="checkbox"/>   | SAIGE Conference <input type="checkbox"/>           |   |

For more information about FEW or to Join Online, please visit: <http://www.few.org>

\* No refunds will be made upon the acceptance and processing of a membership application.

\*\* Contributions or gifts to FEW are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes.

Annual membership dues are \$45 total split between the National organization (\$25) and the chapter selected by the member. Most Chapter dues are \$20. Eligibility for Chapter membership is contingent on National membership.